

POLICE OFFICER ACADEMY GRADUATE

(Open/Continuous Filing/Unranked List)

Salary Range: \$3345 - \$3517 - \$3697 - \$3886 - \$4085 - \$4295 - \$4515 - \$4746 - \$4989/month

***(NOTE: CURRENT ACADEMY GRADUATES WILL BE PLACED AT STEP TWO (2) OF THE SALARY RANGE)**

(Excellent Benefit Package, 3% @ 50 Retirement)

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE POINTS WILL NOT BE AWARDED FOR THIS POSITION

THE POSITION

The City of Stockton is seeking individuals who can successfully assist the Stockton Police Department in achieving its goal of Community Oriented Policing by working in partnership with the community to provide a safe and secure environment while recognizing and respecting the diversity and uniqueness of the citizens in our community.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

1. Successful completion of a California Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) approved Basic Academy within the previous twenty-four months from the date of application. The P.O.S.T. Basic Academy certificate must be submitted at the time of application. Failure to submit the P.O.S.T. certificate will be cause for rejection. *REQUALIFICATION CERTIFICATES ARE NOT ACCEPTED.*
2. OR be currently enrolled in a P.O.S.T. Basic Academy of at least 599 hours. A letter from the academy verifying current enrollment MUST accompany application.
3. Graduation from high school or possession of a G.E.D. certificate.
4. Must be 21 years of age by the time of appointment.
5. Must possess a valid California driver's license.
6. Must be able to pass a physical examination, which includes a drug screen, administered by the City Physician.
7. Vision requirements are 20/20 for far visual acuity, either corrected or uncorrected. (Note: if corrected, no worse than 20/100 uncorrected in each eye separately). For laser surgery, one (1) year minimum elapsed time between surgery and qualifying examination). Color blindness will be cause for rejection.
8. Hearing must be within normal range - 5/5.
9. Must be able to meet the psychological and background standards.
10. Must be a citizen of the United States or a permanent resident alien who is eligible for and has applied for citizenship.

THE EXAMINATION

Unassembled Examination (Pass/Fail) – An unassembled examination consisting of an appraisal of training, and possession of the appropriate P.O.S.T. certification.

ALL APPLICANTS FOR THIS POSITION MUST USE AN OFFICIAL CITY OF STOCKTON POLICE OFFICER/ACADEMY GRADUATE APPLICATION FORM ONLY. APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED FULLY. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE REJECTED AND CANNOT BE REVISED AFTER THE DATE OF SUBMITTAL.

DO NOT INCLUDE SUCH ITEMS AS RESUMES, TRANSCRIPTS, PICTURES, DEGREES, OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENTS OF YOUR ACHIEVEMENTS. THESE ITEMS MAY BE REQUESTED AT A LATER DATE BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF STOCKTON
LAW ENFORCEMENT APPLICATION
POLICE OFFICER/ACADEMY GRADUATE

Name: (Please Print) _____

Social Security Number: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Telephone Number: (____) _____ Daytime Telephone Number: (____) _____

The purpose of this application is to assess your qualifications against the minimum qualifications for the position of Police Officer. Please fill out this form completely. **POLICE OFFICER ACADEMY GRADUATE APPLICANTS MUST ATTACH A COPY OF A VALID POST CERTIFICATE. DO NOT ATTACH COPIES OF OTHER CERTIFICATES, TRANSCRIPTS, OR OTHER BACKGROUND MATERIALS.** If you are called to begin a complete background investigation, you will have an opportunity to present these documents at that time.

You must complete this application in order to ensure further consideration in the selection process. Individuals who do not meet the minimum qualifications may be eliminated at any point in the process. **Please make sure that your entire application packet is complete.**

<i><u>POLICE OFFICER ACADEMY GRADUATE (Continuous Application)</u></i>		
	Yes	No
I possess a Certified POST Basic Academy Certificate for at least 599 hours issued <u>within the previous 24 months of the date of application.</u> (Certificate must be attached to application.)		
OR: I am currently enrolled in a POST Basic Academy as a “nonaffiliate,” for at least 599 hours and have attached a letter from the academy verifying my current enrollment.		
<i><u>***THIS SECTION MUST ALSO BE COMPLETED ***</u></i>		
I will be 21 years of age or older at the time of appointment.		
I have a High School Diploma or GED equivalent.		
I have a valid California Class “C” Driver’s License.		
<i><u>Driver’s License #:</u></i> <i><u>Expiration Date:</u></i>		
I am a U.S. citizen or permanent alien resident and can provide proof that I have applied for citizenship prior to applying for the position of Police Officer.		
I have been convicted of a violation of the law, excluding minor traffic violations. (If yes, please attach explanation and description of violation on separate sheet of paper.) NOTE: A conviction will not necessarily disqualify an applicant from further consideration for employment.		

I certify that all statements made in this application are true, and I agree and understand that misstatements or omissions of any requested or pertinent information will subject me to disqualification from consideration for and/or dismissal from employment with the City of Stockton.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please provide the following information. It is being requested for statistical purposes only. Should you choose to provide the information, it will be detached from your application immediately upon receipt and will not be used in evaluating your qualifications for employment or for any other purpose proscribed by article 1, section 31, of the California Constitution.

ETHNIC ORIGIN – Please check only one.

1. ☐ White – Caucasian, Anglo Saxon
2. ☐ Black – All persons having origins in any of the Black racial groups
3. ☐ Hispanic – All persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race
4. ☐ American Indian/Alaskan Native – All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America
5. ☐ Chinese
6. ☐ Japanese
7. ☐ Filipino
8. ☐ Other Pacific Islander
9. ☐ Other

SEX

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female

AGE GROUP

- ☐ Under 21
- ☐ 21-29
- ☐ 30-39
- ☐ 40-49
- ☐ 50-59
- ☐ 60 or Older



Title of Position Applying for

How did you hear about the position?
